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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 12 December 2007.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: Laufer 6,083,219.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The applicant proposes amendment to Claim 1 "implanting a reinforcing support instead of "attaching a reinforcing support" and appears to read over the device and method of Laufer for treating valve leaflets in a temporary manner, which is not necessarily implantable. The examiner will consult with her supervisor and will undergo further consideration and/or search, and possibly submit an Examiner's Amendment if allowable subject matter is confirmed.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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